

as should be mentioned respectively in that behalf in such order, as if the days and times mentioned in such order had in every instance been mentioned in the said Act, instead of the days and times thereinbefore respectively mentioned in that behalf: and whereas, by an Order in Council, dated the thirtieth day of September last, His Majesty (by advice of His Privy Council) did order that it should be lawful for the barrister or barristers, appointed in pursuance of the provisions in the said Act contained, to determine and set out the extent, limits, and boundary lines of the wards into which it is provided, by the said Act, that certain boroughs of large population should be divided, and what portions of such boroughs should be included therein respectively, within the space of sixty days next after the passing of the said Act, instead of the space of six weeks next after the passing of the said Act: and whereas William Longley, of the Inner-temple, Esq. and Edward Smirke, of the Middle-temple, Esq. the barristers appointed in pursuance of the provisions of the said Act, to revise the burgess and councillors' lists of the borough of Barnstaple, in the county of Devon, in the present year (the said borough of Barnstaple being one of the boroughs included in the said schedule), did, within sixty days next after the passing of the said Act, in due manner, determine and set out the extent, limits, and boundary lines of the wards of the said borough, according to the provisions of the said Act, and what portion of the said borough shall be included therein respectively, and the said barristers, after the division of such borough into such number of wards as is directed by the said Act, and within the said period of sixty days, did, in due manner, apportion among the several wards of such borough, the number of councillors mentioned, in conjunction with the name of such borough, in the said schedule; and the said barristers have duly transmitted a copy of the particulars of such division, and of the particulars of the number of councillors so assigned to the several wards of the said borough, to one of His Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, in the words following, that is to say:

**BOROUGH OF BARNSTAPLE, COUNTY OF DEVON.**

"We, William Longley, of the Inner-temple, and Edward Smirke, of the Middle-temple, Barristers at Law, having been duly appointed to revise the lists of burgesses for the borough of Barnstaple, in the county of Devon, and to execute the other duties required by the Statute, fifth and sixth of William the Fourth, c. 76, do hereby, in pursuance of the directions of the said Act, divide the said borough into two wards, to be called North Ward and South Ward; and we do determine and set out the extent, limit, and boundary lines of such wards, and what portions of such borough shall be included therein respectively, in manner following, that is to say, that the common boundary between the said wards shall be a line drawn from that point in the boundary line of the borough of Barnstaple, in the River Taw, where a straight line drawn from east to west along the southern face of the building called Queen Anne's-walk, and continued in the same direction, would cut such boundary line from the said point eastward in a straight line along the southern face of Queen Anne's-walk to the eastern extremity of such face, thence in a straight line to

the centre of the arch or bow at the bottom of Cross-street; thence along Cross-street to the point where it meets High-street, thence southward along High-street to the point where it meets Church-yard-passage, thence eastward along Church-yard-passage to the Church-yard, thence along the path in the Church-yard to the passage leading to Paternoster-row, thence along the said passage to Paternoster-row, thence along Paternoster-row to the point where it meets Boutport-street, thence northward along Boutport-street to the point where it meets Bear-street, thence eastward along Bear-street to the end thereof, thence along the North Molton-road to the point where it cuts the boundary of the borough of Barnstaple, at Maidenford-bridge; and that North Ward shall contain such part of the said borough as lies northward of the said common boundary line; and that South Ward shall contain all the remaining part of the said borough; and, having regard as well to the number of persons rated to the relief of the poor in each ward as to the aggregate amount of the sums at which all the said persons are so rated, we do assign nine councillors to each of the said wards.

In witness whereof we have hereunto set our hands, this 6th day of November 1835."

(Signed)

*William Longley.  
Edward Smirke.*

Now, therefore, His Majesty (by advice of His Privy Council) doth hereby approve of such determination of the said barristers, and of the number of councillors so assigned to each ward of the said borough, and doth order the same to be published in the London Gazette accordingly.

*Wm. L. Bathurst.*

At the Court at *Brighton*, the 4th day of *December* 1835.

PRESENT,

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS by an Act, passed in the sixth year of the reign of His present Majesty, intituled "An Act to provide for the regulation of municipal corporations in England and Wales," which received the Royal assent on the ninth of September last, after reciting that it was expedient that certain boroughs of large population should be divided into wards, before any election of councillors for such boroughs should take place, it was, among other things, enacted, that every borough in the schedule (A.) to the said Act annexed, should be divided into the number of wards mentioned in such schedule, in conjunction with the name of such borough; and that it should be lawful for the barrister or barristers appointed, in pursuance of the provisions thereinbefore contained, to revise the burgess and councillors' lists of any borough in the present year, and he and they was and were thereby required, within the space of six weeks next after the passing of the said Act, to determine and set out the extent, limits, and boundary lines of such wards, and what portions of such borough should be included therein respectively, and the copy of the particulars of such division should be forthwith transmitted to one of His Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, and